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In the Application of:

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**ELECTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of May 29, 2009, Applicants elect the Group IV invention, claims 17-23. The species of Figure 7 is also elected. Claims 17-19, and 21-23 read on the elected species. An early examination on the merits is requested.

Applicant petitions for a one month extension of time. A check in the amount of \$65.00 is enclosed. Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1088.

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